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Examiner Bruce D. Hissong

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#### CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that the following documents in re Application of Yuuiki Tsutsui, et al., Application No. 10/674,581, filed September 29, 2003 for IMMUNE RESPONSE INDUCTION METHOD are being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

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REQUEST FOR STATUS AND/OR REQUEST TO VACATE FINAL OFFICE

ACTION AFTER DECISION ON

**PETITION** 

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the Examiner vacate the final Office Action mailed on October 5, 2007 in the above-identified application in view of the Petition Decision issued November 28, 2007. Applicants request that the Examiner issue a new non-final Office Action.

Applicants believe that <u>no fee is required</u> for submission of this request. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fee from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please deduct any additional fees from, or credit any overpayment to, the above-noted Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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